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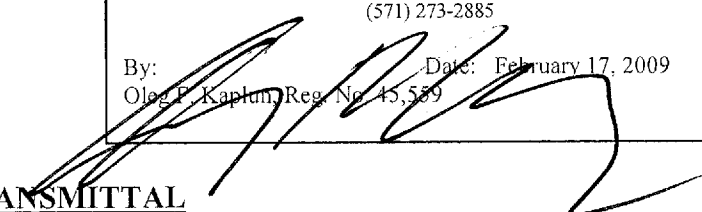
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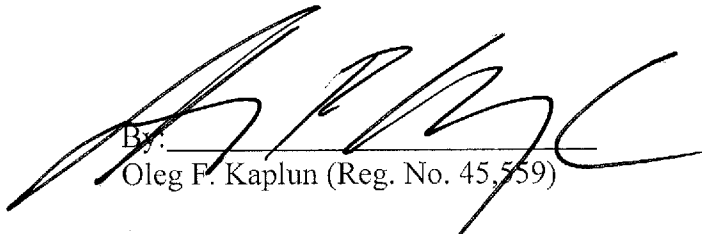
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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed on November 17, 2008, please find fourteen (14) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-identified application. Please charge the Credit Card of Fay Kaplun & Marcin in the amount of \$ 1,510. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the **Deposit Account of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP No. 50-1492** any additional fees.

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